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In re Patent Application of) **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**
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For: DETECTOR AGENT FOR)
HALOGEN COMPOUNDS AND)
METHOD FOR DETECTING)
HALOGEN COMPOUNDS)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

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Page 1, line 4, delete "[Detailed Description of the Invention]" and replace with

~~--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--~~

Page 1, line 6, delete "[Field of the Invention]" and replace with
--Field of the Invention--

Page 1, line 15, delete "[Prior Arts]" and replace with